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In re Application of	:	
Low et al.	:	DECISION ACCORDING STATUS
Application No. 10/783,731	:	UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)
Filed: February 20, 2004	:	
Attorney Docket No. 2003-2034.ORI	:	

This is in response to the petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a), filed November 18, 2004. Petitioner obtained a four-month extension of time. Accordingly, the petition is filed timely.

The petition is granted.

Petitioner has shown that Scott Krentz, the non-signing inventor, has refused to join in the filing of the above-identified application after having been presented with the application papers. Specifically, the statement of facts of Diana Low establishes that the inventor was presented with the application papers, including the specification, claims and drawings, but refused the request that he sign the declaration.

The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status. As provided in Rule 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the address given in the present petition. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

The application is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 3653 for examination in due course.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3211.

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